

# FEE TRANSMITTAL FY 2009

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Filing Date	December 20, 2005
First Named Inventor	De Groot
Group Art Unit	1626
Examiner Name	J. Kosack
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2. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit or charge any fee indicated below for this submission to Deposit Account No. 50-1721.

- ☒ Required Fees.  
☒ Additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.  
☒ Overpayment Credit.

3. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.

## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. FILING/SEARCH/EXAM/SIZE FEES

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
330	Utility filing fee	
540	Utility search fee	
220	Utility exam fee	
270	Utility size fee (each add'l 50 pgs. over 100)	
220	Design filing fee	
100	Design search fee	
140	Design exam fee	
270	Design size fee (each add'l 50 pgs. over 100)	

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Amount
Total Claims	- 20 =		x \$ 52.00 =	
Independent Claims	- 3 =		x \$220.00 =	

☐ Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any

\$390.00 =

TOTAL:

SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT:

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0.00

### 2. AMENDMENT CLAIM FEES

Claims Remaining After Amend.	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Fee Paid
Total 40	- 55 =	0	x \$ 52.00 =	0
Indep. 2	- 3 =	0	x \$220.00 =	0

☐ First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim + \$390.00 =

TOTAL: (\$)

SMALL ENTITY DISCOUNT: (\$)

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0.00

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

### 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
130	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
130	130	Non-English specification	
2,520	2,520	Request for ex parte reexamination	
130	65	Extension for reply within first month	
490	245	Extension for reply within second month	245.00
1,110	555	Extension for reply within third month	
1,730	865	Extension for reply within fourth month	
2,350	1,175	Extension for reply within fifth month	
540	270	Notice of Appeal	
540	270	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1,080	540	Request for oral hearing	
400	400	Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. I)	
200	200	Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. II)	
130	130	Petitions to the Commissioner (Gp. III)	
180	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
810	405	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
810	405	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
100	100	Certificate of Correction for applicant's error	
140	70	Submission of Terminal Disclaimer	
Other fee (Specify)		Request for Continued Examination	405.00
Other fee (Specify)			

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 650.00

SUBTOTAL (1) 0.00

SUBTOTAL (2) 0.00

SUBTOTAL (3) 650.00

TOTAL (\$) 650.00

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RELEASE SPACERS

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Sir:

Submitted herewith are:

1. Fee Transmittal (1 page);
2. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (2 pgs.);
3. Amendment and Response (38 pages);
4. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page);
5. Small Entity Statement (1 page);
6. Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
7. Form PTO-1449 (2 pages);
8. Copies of IDS Citations B11-B13 and C10-C34; and
9. Return Receipt Postcard.